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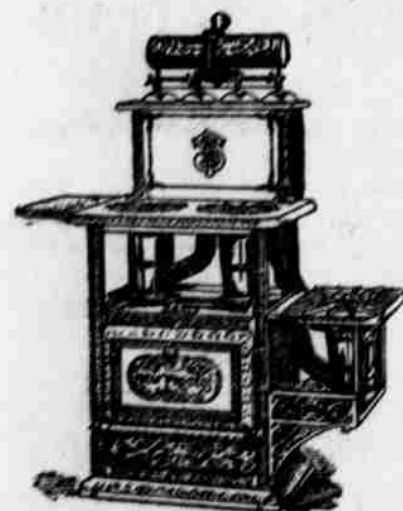
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Bakes bread and biscuits while you wait;
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The boiler's always piping hot,
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And papa says the "New Process"
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SIXTY THOUSAND LIVES.
VICTORIA, B. C.—Additional details of the great earthquake and tidal wave in Japan were received by the steamer Bruner, which arrived today from the Orient. The death list of the great disaster has reached the appalling figures of over 50,000, and unconfirmed reports say that at least 60,000 lives were lost.

CUBAN ANNEXATION.
HAVANA.—A Cubitas letter announces the text of an important proclamation issued by the Marquis of Santa Lucia, the rebel President, favoring an American protectorate or the formal annexation of the island to the United States once independence from Spain shall be attained.

OREGON'S DRAUGHT.
WASHINGTON.—Navy department officials are much disturbed over a report which comes from San Francisco to the effect that the battle ship Oregon has too great a draught to allow her to enter the navy yard dock at Mare Island.

GERMANY'S CABINET.
BERLIN.—Rumors have been current throughout the week of another cabinet crisis, and in the Reichstag lobby the most extravagant reports are credited.

SILVER AND A JOB.
NEW YORK.—President St. John of the Mercantile National Bank today tendered his resignation as the head of that institution, and it was promptly accepted. President St. John is an advocate of free coinage, and the directors of the bank oppose his views.

CAPT. MORSE'S OPINION.
(San Francisco Call).

"You ask me what class of people are the most disturbed in a storm at sea?" said Captain Morse, formerly of the Alameda. The titanic man of the ocean pinched his eyes together as is his custom when a staggerer is put to him and thought a moment.

"Gamblers!" he answered finally.
"When the sea is rolling high and the storm is on, howling and roaring like thunder around the upper deck and the lee scuppers are half the time in the water, then you'll see the gambler get right down and declare himself with more real feeling and sincerity than any other man in the disturbance."

MUST NOT EXPECTORATE.
ALAMEDA, Cal.—The ordinance passed by the city at the beginning of the month providing that "no person shall expectorate on the floor of any public conveyance or any public building in Alameda" is to rigidly enforced.

Placeards are to be placed in the cars and trains, as well as in the public buildings, calling attention to the fine imposed for each infraction of the law.

Clad to Know It!
Is the remark made by a tourist when informed that the famous Pilsener Beer is on draught at the Royal, Pacific and Cosmopolitan saloons. Gold medal and diploma of honor at Munich International Exposition, 1895, which is a complete triumph for American beer in the very cradle of the art of brewing.

No Time Should Be Lost
Printed lawns at 12 1/2¢, and figured dimities at 15¢, all fast colors, are not every day chances. At the same time look at the 56-inch Black Alpaca at 50¢, 75¢ and 85¢ per yard at Kerr's, Queen street.

ALL CIVIL AND PROBATE

ESTATE AND BUSINESS MATTERS IN COURT.

Guardian Appointed—Settling Up Some Large Properties—Chas. B. Poor's Lawsuit—Other Cases

In the matter of Charles B. Poor vs. Henry Smith, administrator of the estate of Honolulu, the defendant has filed a motion to compel the plaintiff to give security for the costs of said action on the grounds that he is a non-resident and has no property in the Republic.

The final account of C. Bolte, administrator of the estate of the late Samuel Louisson, was filed this morning. The administrator charges himself with receipts, \$9,391.42 and credits same \$1,891.67, leaving a balance of \$7,500.75.

Accounts in the Mort-Smith estate matter, also filed today, shows receipts to have been \$44,901.29 and expenditures, \$40,810.35, leaving a balance of \$4,090.94.

In the matter of the estate in the Hawaiian Islands of the late James W. Austin of Boston, S. M. Damon, administrator, has filed his final account. The sum of \$5,304.72 is charged and \$4,943.47 credited, leaving a balance of \$361.25.

George Washington Smith and J. E. Koha, administrators of the estate of the late Addie N. Smith, filed an inventory of the property this morning. The real estate is valued at \$13,000 and personal at \$140.

WHEELING.
Sylvester left town at 5:08 Sunday morning to beat Silva's record run around Oahu. Sam Johnson was to have accompanied him but could not get away. Sylvester met with a series of mishaps to his wheel, but turned up at Kahuku in the good time of three hours and forty-two minutes.

From there to town, on the Waihalu route, the wheelman took it slowly. The entire route was made in eleven hours and twenty-two minutes. Sylvester is not satisfied and will try the run over again. He believes he can make it in less than nine hours of steady pulling, but accidents.

MARKER SHOT.
A Prison Guard Rifleman Wounded at the Iwilei Butts.

Solomon Kahiapo, prison guard, was accidentally shot at Iwilei butts while his team was engaged in target practice about 7 o'clock this morning. He was marking. Poi ran out and "time" was declared. One of the shooters did not understand the order and fired. Just as the gun went off Kahiapo, the marker, stuck his back out from behind the bulkhead.

The ball, a 45-70, got him on the right side, passed through and out on the left. Its course was less than a half inch below the skin and reached no vital parts. He was taken to the prison hospital where his wound was dressed. The surgeon reports that he is in no danger.

YACHTING.
Bonnie Dundee Stranded and Rescued—A Peninsula Dinner.

President Dole, E. P. Dole, E. R. Adams and others went down to Pearl Harbor in the yacht Bonnie Dundee on Saturday. Sailing up the lochs the yacht stranded, C. Johnson's sloop came to the rescue, but could render no assistance. The Dundee stayed on the reef until about noon on Sunday when a party sailed up in Johnson's boat and after some effort succeeded in floating the Scotch named craft. In recognition of the services rendered by Johnson's sloop the President christened the sloop the Rescue. This is the first time she has been named. A dinner was served at Pearl City peninsula. Mrs. Roth, Mrs. Dillingham and others assisting in furnishing the tables. Mrs. Dole and Miss Fuller, besides a number of Honolulu people rusticated at Pearl City were present at the occasion.

All Outdoors
Is yours when you ride a bicycle. To rent by the hour, day, or week. HAWAIIAN CYCLERY, Way block, King street.

None Can Compare
A fine line of the Scotch Gingham, in Pinks, Blues and Lavenders, 30 inches wide, will be cleared out at 15¢ per yard. Kerr's Queen street.

IT IS TO BE BRILLIANT

THE MARRIAGE THIS EVENING THE YEAR'S SOCIETY EVENT.

Samuel G. Wilder and Miss E. M. A. Atkinson—Church Decorations—Preparing for Reception at Eskbank.

The marriage of Samuel G. Wilder and Miss Ethel Mary Atkinson will take place at St. Andrew's Cathedral at 7:30 this evening. Rev. Alex. Mackintosh will officiate. The church has been beautifully decorated with flowers and will be brilliantly lighted for the occasion. A thousand invitations have been issued for this ceremony.

The wedding reception will take place at the home of the groom's mother, "Eskbank" on Judd street, from 8 to 11 o'clock. As it will appear this evening, "Eskbank" will be in its most beautiful attire. Around the yard, on either side, in a semicircle, will be rows of electric lamps in Japanese shades. In the center will be a powerful light and beneath this the band will be stationed. The lamina will also have special electrical effects.

The verandas have been beautifully decorated with flags and bunting under the experienced direction of Mr. G. W. R. King. Decidedly the handsomest part of the decorations, however, will be in the main parlor, where the young couple will receive their friends. This has been made one beautiful mass of floral pieces, white predominating. The decorations in this department were placed by lady friends of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder will leave by Thursday's steamer on their bridal tour. They will spend three or four months in the States, visiting the various resorts of California, Colorado and the East.

COMMENDABLE CHARITY.
Tom Luens and Ted Thomas have been about today getting up a subscription for Hank Dolson and have secured the amount necessary for passage and car fare to relatives of the aged and disabled man. Dolson is a bricklayer, well known to mechanics and builders as a good man and expert at his trade. He was seriously injured by a fall while working on the custom house many months ago and has had a hard time of it ever since.

PARTING ALOHA.
Surprise Party for Popular Men Soon to Travel Afar.

Messrs. George Ashley and C. A. Peacock, who will leave by the Australia tomorrow, were treated to a surprise party at the residence of W. C. Peacock, Waikiki, Saturday evening. The gentlemen went there on special and urgent invitation after dinner in the city to find the house filled with friends and dancing in progress. A merry time followed. There was more dancing, swimming and music. Messrs. Ashley and Andrew Brown sang several of their character songs. The duet, "Down by the Farm," met with furious applause. Altogether the affair was successfully planned and most pleasantly carried out. Jos. Little sang and Mr. Ashley gave some piano solos. Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peacock, Geo. Ashley, Tony Bickerton, the Misses Peacock, Hugo A. Fisher, the Misses Gurney, John H. Stelling, E. A. Stackable, Mrs. G. D. Freeth, Mr. Sweeney, Dr. and Mrs. Miner, Jos. Little, J. G. Rothwell, Fred Angus, Myra Angus, Fred Lewis, W. W. Harris and wife, W. Wagner and wife, the Misses Lishman, Mrs. Berlowitz, Emil Berger, Henry Giles, Miss Leo Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown and Major and Mrs. Geo. Me-Leod.

FAINTED.
Tommy King fainted on the steps of the post office Sunday and struck the back of his head on the stone sidewalk. He was somewhat bruised and was at home until this afternoon.

ROAD ACCIDENT.
Bob Wilcox's buggy and a carriage driven by a lady collided near Wright's Villa, Waikiki, Sunday afternoon and both teams ran away. Wilcox's buggy was damaged, a shaft having been driven through the body. No one hurt.

NEW GOODS AT SACHS.
New gloves, new veils, new lace, latest in millinery and sailor hats just opened at N. S. Sachs.

TRYING THE MEGAPHONE

NEW INVENTION TESTED AT WAIKIKI BEACH.

It Carries the Voice—Makes Close Delivery—Hailing Surf Riders—Some Fun With a Tram Driver

C. W. Macfarlane started the denizens of Waikiki Sunday afternoon with his wonderful megaphone. He set the instrument up in a second story window of the Hotel annex. A peculiar feature of the trumpet is its ventriloquist principle. The voice of the speaker falls below, above or around the hearer at will of the manipulator. Thus, a party of surf riders were started at a sudden command "Stop!" They looked up and around in terror, but stopped their boat without a second word.

Then came the command "hands up," and up went the ten fingers of each onrider. Next, "hold your paddles up," which was also obeyed. This kind of fun was kept up at half mile range for some time by Mr. Macfarlane. The surf riders were finally told who was speaking, and appreciated the clever joke as much as the man in the window.

One of the most comical jokes perpetrated, however, was on a car driver. Just as the car turned the bend the driver heard the earnest command near him "hold on." The car was pulled up and waited. The Jehu looked all around for the prospective passenger, but none was in sight. Next thundered in his ears "What are you waiting for? Clear out you slow mokes!" At this Mr. Driver took his whip in hand and started under the car after the small boy. But no one was in sight. The megaphone man let the joke go at that and the car soon moved on.

The instrument is truly a clever invention. It can be used to the best of purposes. With ease might a pilot speak to a ship he is to board a mile away. On land transmission of sound is even more perfectly attained. Mr. Macfarlane will likely handle the megaphone in a business way here.

AUCTION SALES.
Attention is called to the two ads of J. F. Morgan; one is the furniture sale at the residence of Chas Williams on Beretania street tomorrow at 10 o'clock and of the sale of 100 desirable residence lots on the Ewa side of Nuanu street above the junction of Liliha and Wylie streets on Wednesday August 12th at noon.

AN OUTING.
Capt. Robert Parker, wife and family and a party of friends left by the steamer Kaena this forenoon. The party will be landed at Hanalei, where fishing and an outing will be indulged in. They expect to be away about a week.

MADE AN LLD.
The honorary degree of LLD has been voted Rev. S. E. Bishop of this city by Amherst college, his alma mater. The distinction is earned by the solid reputation Mr. Bishop has made in scientific circles during the past few years.

BURNS AND BALLOON.
Mr. Burns, the circus man and aeronaut who has just left the hospital after a severe illness, is trying to arrange for a balloon ascension from the base ball grounds on the 1st or 8th of August. His former ascent there was a complete success and he would doubtless attract a big crowd.

IN HORSE POWER.
Reducing Force of an Electric Bolt to a Working Basis.

It is no doubt interesting to express the force of a stroke of lightning in horse power, says a writer in a German review. During a recent storm, which passed over Klausthal, Germany, a bolt struck a wooden column in a dwelling, and in the top of this column were two wire nails one-sixth of an inch in diameter.

To melt iron in this short time would be impossible in the largest furnace now in existence, and it could only be accomplished with the aid of electricity, but a current of 200 amperes and a potential of 20,000 volts would be necessary. This electric force for one second represents 5000-horse power, but as the lightning accomplished the melting in considerably less time—say one-tenth of a second—it follows that the bolt was 50,000 horse power.

CHURCH ARMY OF THE U.S.

IT IS BEING ORGANIZED BY THE EPISCOPALIANS.

Sanction of Bishop Potter—Temperance and Rescue Work—More Conservative than the Other Armies.

The United States Church Army is the latest demonstration of the church militant in America.

The new army is to be recruited and officered within the ranks of the Protestant Episcopal church. It is military in its organization. It has the sanction of Bishop Potter of New York, and may in time have a "post" in every considerable parish in the country, the companies within the post being formed into regiments, the latter in turn constituting divisions within the limits of Episcopal dioceses.

The army is devoted, as its banner shows, to "Total Abstinence and Rescue Work."

The army will of necessity be uniformed, not garishly or in a spectacular manner, and its mission will be carried out on lines less theistic than those pursued by the Salvation Army, and the later Volunteer Army, but the purposes will to a certain extent be the same.

Secretary Wilson of the New York Episcopal diocese says that it is quite problematical whether such steps will be taken there; that at present no such movement is in contemplation and probably Bishop Nichols has not given it any serious consideration yet, because of other and more important church matters claiming his attention and energies.

In time, in Mr. Wilson's judgment, it may become a national affair, but having had but a year of life in the United States, although ten or twelve years in England, its results are yet not thoroughly apparent.

Bishop Potter of New York has given his sanction to the establishment of an experimental post in New York; Philadelphia has, within the past fortnight, organized a post, and Pittsburgh has lately organized its regiment under the name of the First Regiment; United States Church Army, with James K. Bakewell as Colonel.

The uniform of staff and field officers is marked by quiet taste.

LIQUID SUNSHINE.
On Hawaii, says a traveler from America, the sun shines through the rain, making what the people call "liquid sunshine;" but the rain and the sunshine are on pretty friendly terms, one keeping the air warm enough, the other keeping it from getting too warm, and they can boast of a very high perfect climate. The mean daily temperature for January was seventy-one degrees, while for July it was only seventy-eight degrees, Fahrenheit, but owing to the elevation of the interior, one can by a slight change in location secure a decided change in temperature.

THE COLONEL'S FUTURE.
An appreciative critic of Col. Ingersoll declares that owing to his success as a lecturer "he will have dollars to burn." How he expects to take them with him is not stated.

Light on the Stomach
Such is the verdict of all those who have tried Suttle Brewing and Malt-ing Co's. product.

Some beers lie heavy on the stomach. That is certainly not desirable.

Avoid such beers.
By using the Rainier of Olympic brand you are sure of a mild, light beer, one that is easy to digest and nutritious. Sold at the Criterion saloon.

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Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Largest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.